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The Seal Ring.

"Well, this is a hot day!" said Dr. Gray, to himself, as he guided his shaggy little horse round the sharp turn of the road and checked him under the spreading shadow of the giant cherry-tree, whose broad boughs were all sparkling with the ruby pendants, and then walked to the house.

"Halloo!" said the doctor.

He shaded his eyes with his hand and looked intently in at the kitchen window. There was the trim figure of his pretty daughter standing at the kitchen table, her sleeves rolled back, and a pink checked apron tied about her taper waist, apparently deep in the saccharine mysteries of pie-making. That was nothing surprising; but Dr. Gray could have sworn that a minute ago the apparition of a young gentleman was manifesting a remarkable degree of interest in the pan of sliced apples and various spice boxes and sugar bowls that flanked it, and yet, now that he looked again, Kitty was trimming off the edges of her pie-crust all alone! He walked straight into the kitchen, where the oven-fire was glowing so hotly that Kitty's cheeks were like twin carnations as she worked away at the pies, sifting showers of powdered cinnamon and nutmeg over the juicy slices of July apples, and drenching them in snowy sugar.

"Kit! where's Harry Browne?"

Kitty stopped to cut a little star in the centre of the white sheet of pie-crust wherewith she was covering her pastry before she answered in a low tone: "I don't know, papa."

"You don't, eh?" said the doctor, quietly pursing up his mouth in a shape suggestive of whistling. "I suppose not!"

And the doctor proceeded through the hall into his little study, where sat his hopeful young student, Harry Browne, deep in the ponderous pages of a medical dictionary.

"Been hard at work all day, eh?" said the old gentleman, taking off his hat and fanning himself with its broad brim.

"Yes, sir," said Browne; "I've written out that abstract you left, and looked over the papers on fractures, and—"

"All right; all right; you're a most industrious fellow," said Dr. Gray. "You don't leave off work on all sorts of frivolous pretexts, do you?"

"No, sir," said Browne, demurely.

"You are convinced that nothing but steady perseverance will enable a man to succeed in the science of medicine?"

"Yes, sir," responded Mr. Henry Browne, moving a little uneasily in his chair.

"Very sensible of you," said Dr. Gray, shrugging his shoulders. "And now—but what are you looking for?"

"My seal ring, sir, I thought it was on my finger but a minute ago. You have not seen it, I suppose?"

"No, not that I know of," said the Doctor, taking snuff as briskly as he did anything else.

"I hope it is not lost," said Harry. "I value it very highly as my father's gift. Where can it have gone?"

"Don't know," said the Doctor. "Just give me that list of patients we expect this afternoon, and then go out, and ask Jack to look for your trinket. That boy has more eyes and ears than most people, I believe—I know he has more mischief!"

Harry Browne adopted his preceptor's suggestion; and the old gentleman was left alone, alternately taking snuff, rubbing his spectacles and congitating whether his fair daughter was really deceiving him as to her innocent love affairs.

"Confound it," soliloquized the Doctor, petulantly, "it takes sharper eyes than mine to see through womankind's manoevers. I'll ferret out the mystery yet, though; hanged if I don't!"

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The brazen throat of the old kitchen clock had just uttered, in a sort of a shrill tremble, the fact that it was two, past meridian, and dinner was nearly over at Dr. Gray's. Somehow dinner tasted better in the long, shady dining-room of the Gray mansion house than it did anywhere else, for the climbing honey-suckles at the window stirred so pleasantly in the wind, and held back their green wilderness of leaves to admit such delicious scents of new-mown hay and blossom-sprinkled woods that the most delicate appetite could not resist being tempted. And Kitty Gray looked so pretty at the head of the table, her brown hair brushed back and her white throat edged with a dainty lace and the faint color coming and going on her cheek like rosy shadows. No wonder Harry Browne looked at her so often, we should have done the same thing had we sat opposite her at the table.

"I'll take another piece of that apple-pie, Kate," said the old Doctor, extending his plate. "Capital pie; where did the apples come from?"

"I believe Patrick gathered them from the old tree that stands by the south wall of the orchard, papa; the apples hang there like balls of gold just streaked with red on the sunny side, and I baked them this morning."

"Upon my world you're getting to be quite a little housekeeper," said the Doctor, chuckling. "I suppose some young fellow'll be—Why, halloa, here! what's this?"

For Dr. Gray's teeth, sound and white as ivory, had struck against some foreign substance under the snowy crust of the much-praised pie, with a jar that set every nerve on edge.

"Do they make apple-pies nowadays out of stones?" demanded the old gentleman, tartly. "No, I'm mistaken, it isn't a stone—it's a seal ring!"

And the Doctor quietly held up Harry Browne's missing ornament—a heavy carnelian, set in a ring of chased gold. Kitty turned scarlet; Browne looked amazed and confounded.

"How a seal ring should happen to get baked in an apple-pie I don't know," said the malicious old Doctor, enjoying the confusion of his companions. "Young people, can you tell me what all this means?"

"I can tell you sir," said Harry, valiantly, seeing that now or never was the time for his avowal. "It means that I am in love with your daughter Kitty, and that if you will give me your consent to our union we will be everlastingly grateful to you."

"Papa," whispered Kitty, with her round arms about his neck, "now be good, and say yes. I wanted to tell you before—only—I didn't dare."

"Oh!" said Dr. Gray, dryly; "I supposed I should find things out by and by. I wish, however, it mayn't be at the cost of the snapping toothache."

"May I have her, sir?" pleaded Harry, who had by this time got his arm around Kitty's waist.

"Well," said the Doctor, "I don't know that I've any objection. Have it your own way, young people. Only, if you have any more courting to get through with, I beg you won't do it up over my apple-pies!"

Harry Browne was a rich man that July afternoon; he had two treasure-troves—a promised wife and a seal ring! And the Doctor was happy, for he had found something to tease Kitty about.

Intemperance.

How many are sending up prayers for help to save some dear one, that liquor is dragging down to the lowest depths of misery and despair! How many bright ornaments of society, substantial bnsiness men, kind husbands and fathers have sunk so low, one blushes to know them!

Think of the blasted lives, of the wives and little children who live lives of torture, because their fate is linked with one who loves liquor, better than the wife he has sworn at God's altar to love and protect. How many a woman hears with terror the footstep, which at one time made her heart leap and thrill with pleasure inexpressible. Oh! that once bright little home replete with happiness. The dainty curtains, bountifully supplied table and tasteful furniture. The neatly dressed children waiting for father's return and evening kiss. The proud, happy wife, waiting for the central figure of her little world, the author of her complete womanly life. Now see that other picture, telling of misery without and within. See those trembling children and down-hearted wife; hear those words of abuse heaped on the "flesh of his flesh, and bone of his bone." Strife has unsurped the formerly happy abode, shadows beclouded the sunshine of smiles. The flowers are withered, the carpets are full of holes, the larder is empty and the children turn to the mother for the support she begs or earns. We draw our conclusion. That man has become a drunkard. This is the home view. Now look at its effect on society at large. Testimony furnished us by our daily papers, judges, philosophers and all keen observers, proves that the most dreadful crimes are committed under the influence of liquor. When we reflect on the life destroyed, the industry sacrificed, the shame and pauperism, the waiste of financial resources, the only wonder is that the American people do not say this curse shall not longer exist.

He who is firm in will moulds the world to himself.

No sense of nature is complete without the human element.

Meddling seldom accomplishes anything but mischief.

If you are determined to live and die a slave to custom, see that it is at least a good one.

Take care to be an economist in prosperity; there is no fear of your being one in adversity.

Promiscuous Encounter.

"My dear," said Mrs. Spoopendyke, glancing nervously out of the window and then timidly at her husband, "my dear, I wonder how that goat got into our yard?"

"What goat?" asked Mr. Spoopendyke, looking up from his breakfast.

"Why, the goat that's out there."

"Oh!" grunted Mr. Spoopendyke, approaching the window. "You mean that one, do you? The principles that generally regulate your conversation betrayed me into thinking that your mind might be fixed on some other goat. As for him, I suppose he broke through the fence from the back lot—or," continued Mr. Spoopendyke, hastily, correcting himself, "perhaps he came to call on you. Better ask him in."

"I'm afraid of him," peeped Mrs. Spoopendyke, drawing closer to her husband. "What do you think we had better do? If he stays out there he'll eat up everything."

"I believe I'll go and drive him out," said Mr. Spoopendyke, eyeing the brute with no particular amount of favor. "You come along to head him off, and you'll soon see a goat begin to wish he had been born a girl that some one might learn to love him." And with this prognostication Mr. Spoopkndyke sallied forth followed by his wife.

"Be careful," she whispered. "When goats get angry they butt, and that hurts."

"Shoo!" commenced Mr. Spoopendyke, waving his hands and following the goat to a hole in the fence, where a couple of boards had been knocked out. "Shoo there, now! Ski! Hold on! Head him, can't ye! Turn him! Whoop!" he roared, as the goat whirled suddenly and dashed to the other end of the yard. "What'd ye come out here for?" he demanded of his wife, who had made a little better time than the goat, and had reached the top of a step ladder.

"Don't let him come up here!" she squealed, stamping her feet on the top step, and trying to climb up the side of the house. "Hold on to him and call a policeman!"

"Great scheme!" growled Mr. Spoopendyke, looking around for a stick "But I haven't made up my mind whether to call a policeman, or do holding on first. What're making stucco-work of yourself up there for? Come down and get behind that goat, will ye, while I teach him the ways and admonitions of Spoopendyke. If you ain't mighty careful he'll rub up against that step ladder, and you're liable to come down in sections!"

"This prophesy brought Mrs. Spoopendyke to the ground without much delay.

"Say, dear," she suggested, "suppose you should go to the other side of the hole, and call him. Don't you think he'd come?"

"Come in a minute, if I happened to hit his right name," retorted Mr. Spoopendyke, who had found a stick, and was preparing for war. "Now you edge around behind him, so as to give him a starter, and I'll put myself in communication with him as soon as he gets under way."

"Go along, dear. Run through that pretty little hole like a good goat!" faltered Mrs. Spoopendyke, apostrophizing the animal in a purely feminine fashion. "Shoo, dear, now, and be real nice." The goat looked at her, thereby freezing her blood, and started slowly for the bottom of the yard.

"Yes, love!" ripped Mr. Spoopendyke, bringing his stick down on the back of the beast with a vindictive grin. "There's a nice little opening for goats that's awaiting for thee!" and down came the stick once more.

"Whe-e-e-e!" squealed Mrs. Spoopendyke, as the goat whirled around like a compass at once. "He must be looking for the place to get out, isn't he?" What do you suppose makes him act that way? Whe-e-e-e!"

The last yell was extracted by a sudden straightening up of the goat, who tore around the yard like a cat in a fit.

"With that headway on, he'll be apt to go through the hole in the fence if he ever hits it," observed Mr. Spoopendyke, who had joined his wife in the middle of the circuit rather precipitously. "I think I must have struck him a little harder than he meant to have me. Now, you get behind him again, and we'll fix him so that the next time he sees a hole in our fence he'll get a hammer and board up the temptation."

Mrs. Spoopendyke eeled along the fence, and took her station with considerable perturbation. The goat came down to a trot, and finally stopped and looked a trifle bewildered. Mr. Spoopendyke grasped his stick with a firmer grip, and figuratively speaking, waited for his wife to deliver the ball.

"Now start him," said he.

Mrs. Spoopendyke waved her apron, and the goat aiming straight at the hole in the fence bore down upon it with three hundred goat power. Mr. Spoopendyke aimed a lick at him, and went tumultuously through the hole as the goat struck the fence and bounded back.

"Great gracious!" ejulated Mrs. Spoopendyke, swarming up the step ladder and squatting at the top. "Are you hurt, dear?"

"Hurt!" howled Mr. Spoopendyke, peeping through the hole and contemplating his wife with a savage glare. "Think I'm a nail, to come through a board fence and be clinched without feeling it? Can't you scare that goat away from this hole so I can come back and commune with him once more? Come down off that dod-gasted step ladder, can't ye? Got a notion that measly goat is coming up there to be scared? Come down and throw a brick at him, will ye?"

"I haven't got a brick," murmured Mrs. Spoopendyke, as she scuttled down the ladder, "but I'll get a flat-iron," and having provided herself with a weapon the use of which she understood, she sallied forth to effect an exchange of situation between the goat and her husband.

"Now go along!" she exclaimed sternly, holding out her war material at arm's length "Ain't you ashamed of yourself, you nasty goat! Ow-w-w—! Look out, dear!"

But Mr. Spoopendyke, constant to his want of faith in his wife's suggestions, incautiously looked in, and he and the goat rolled over each other in the vacant lot.

"Did the whole business work in accordance with the schedule?" he yelled, as he picked himself up and fired the remnant of his stick at the flying foe. "Did the whole measly goat get through, or is there more to follow? Don't omit a stanza in this refreshing season of worship! Let's have the whole hymn!" and Mr. Spoopendyke presented himself at the opening in the fence, with mud-streaked face and tattered habiliments.

"Come in, dear," said Mrs. Spoopendyke, soothingly. "Come in, now. He's gone."

"I know he's gone!" howled Mr. Spoopendyke, crawling through the hole. "I saw him when he went! Oh, you started him! When he saw that vigorous mind of yours backed up by a dod-gasted flat-iron, all he could do was to go! Another time you see me scaring a goat out of the yard, you let things alone, will ye?" and Mr. Spoopendyke hobbled into the house to change his clothes.

"I don't care!" murmured Mrs. Spoopendyke, dragging a barrel against the hole as protection against further incursions. "I don't care. The way he was chopping at that goat with his stick, he wouldn't have had him out in a month. You want to treat a goat like a crease, and iron him out, or," she continued, referring to some serious experience, "if you want to make sure of having it go out, you might hire it out as a servant girl."

And with these luminous reflections, Mrs. Spoopendyke tore her skirt on a nail in the barrel and joined her husband with a hundred consolatory caresses.

An Effectual Prayer.

The Claim That Was Met in a Mysterious Way--A Prayer That Would Not Admit of Defeat.

"No," said the lawyer, "I shan't press your claim against that man; you can get some one else to take the case, or you can withdraw it, just as you please."

"Think there isn't any money in it?"

"There would probably be some money in it, but it would as you know come from the sale of the little house the man occupies and calls 'home;' but I don't want to meddle with the matter, anyhow."

"Got frightened out of it, eh?"

"No, I wasn't frightened out of it."

"I suppose likely the old fellow begged hard to be let off?"

"Well—yes, he did."

"And you caved, likely?"

"No, I didn't speak a word to him."

"Oh, he did all the talking, did he?"

"Yes."

"And you never said a word?"

"Not a word."

"What in creeation did you do?"

"I believe I shed a few tears."

"Aud the old fellow begged you hard you say?"

"No, I didn't say so; he didn't speak a word to me."

"Well, may I respectfully inquire whom he did address in your hearing?"

"God Almighty."

"Ah! he took to praying, did he?"

"Not for my benefit, in the least. You see"—the lawyer crossed his right foot over his left knee, and began stroking his lower leg up and down, as if to help to state his case concisely—"you see, I found the little house easily enough, and knocked on the onter door which stood ajar, but nobody heard me, so I stepped into the little hall, and saw through the crack of another door just as cozy a sitting room as there ever was.

"There on a bed, with her silver head way up high on the pillows, was an old lady who looked for all the word just as my mother did the last time I ever saw her on earth. Well I was right on the point of knocking, when she said as clearly as could be; "come, father, now begin, I'm all ready"—and down on his kneess by her side went an old white-haired man, still older than his wife, I should judge; and I couldn't have knocked then for the life of me. Well he began; first he reminded God that they were still His submissive children, mother and he, and no matter what He saw fit to bring upon them they shouldn't rebel at His will! of course 'twas going to be terrible hard for them to go out homeless in their old age, specially with poor mother so sick and helpless, but still they'd seen sadder things than ever that would be. He reminded God in the next place how different all might have been if only one of their boys had been spared them; then his voice kind of broke, and a thin, white hand stole from under the coverlet and moved slowly over his snowy hair; then he went on to repeat that nothing could be so sharp again as the parting with those three sons—unless mother and he should be seperated. But at last he fell to comforting himself with the fact that the dear Lord knew it was through no fault of his own that mother and he were threatened with the loss of their dear little home, which meant beggary and the almshouse, a place they prayed to be delivered from entering, if it could be consistent with God's will; and then he fell to quoting multitude of promises concerning the safety of those who put their trust in the Lord; yes, I should say he legged hard; in fact it was the most thrilling plea to which I ever listened; and at last he prayed for God's blessing on those who were about to demand justice"—the lawyer stroked his lower limb in silence for a moment or two, then continued, more slowly than ever:

"And—I—believe—I'd rather go to the poorhouse myself, to-night, than to stain my heart and hands with the blood of such a prosecution as that."

"Little afraid to defeat the old man's prayer, eh?" queried the client.

"Bless your soul, man, you couldn't defeat it!" roared the lawyer. "It doesn't admit of defeat! I tell you he left it all subject to the will of God: but he left no doubt as to his wishes in the matter; claimed that we were told to make known our desires unto God; but of all the pleading I ever heard, that beat all. You see I was taught that kind of thing myself in my childhood, and why I was sent to hear that prayer I'm sure I don't know, but I hand the case over."

"I wish," said the client, twisting uneasily, "you hadn't told me about the old fellow's prayer."

"Why so."

"Well I want the money confoundedly the place would bring, but I was taught the Bible all straight when I was a youngster, and I'd hate to run counter to such a harangue as that you tell about. I wish you hadn't heard a word of it; and another time I wouldn't listen to petitions not intended for your ears."

The lawyer smiled.

"My dear fellow," he said, you're wrong again; it was intended for my ears, and yours, too, and God Almighty intended it. My old mother used to sing about God's moving in a mysterious way, I remember."

"Well my mother used to sing it, too," said the claimant, as he twisted his claim papers in his fingers. "You can call in the morning, if you like, and tell mother and him the claim has been met."

"In a mysterious way," added the lawyer smiling.—*Christian Union.*

Truth is the highest thing that man can wish.

One vice is more expensive than many virtues.

He who wants little generally has enough.

The world has nothing constant but its instability.

Better suffer from truth than prosper by falsehood.

Nothing is politically right which is morally wrong.

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Lodge & Society Directory.

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CLEVELAND'S election is now an established and declared fact. The official count of New York is completed and resulted in a plurality of 1,078 for the democratic candidate. This victory is one of the most important events of the late history of this country. The Democracy succeeded in routing the greatest political money machine and the most unscrupulous politicians in the Union. It has elected and will inaugorate a president who is an honest, cautious and conservative man and who will be a conscientous exponent of the principles of real and healthy reform. When the Republicans depart from their offices they can do so with the assurance that the affairs of the country will be in competent and safe hands.

Therefore we can lay aside all fear and anxiety and be assured that Democratic government will be more wholesome than the Republican party made it for the last ten years.

The Real Cause of Defeat.

The Blaine newspapers, now that they have been compelled to admit the election of Grover Cleveland, find an interesting if not a pleasurable pastime in explaining the cause of republican defeat. By some it is ascribed to Logan, by others to Blaine but by none to the real cause. It is of course very obvious that the nomination of Blaine at Chicago arrayed a considerable portion of his party against him. It is plain, too, that the prohibitionist contributed largely to the cause of the republican rout.

But it was not so much Logan nor Blaine nor the temperance movement which brought about the result. The great reason of this defeat is to be found among the people themselves. Successive presidential campaigns have demonstrated the truth that the country is tired of and disgusted with the glaring iniquities of republican rule. Under its deteriorating influences public credit is depressed, govermental practices are a disgrace and the honor of the republic crushed.

These distressing facts aroused a widespread desire upon the part of the people to get rid of such iniquities. There was popular confidence in Grover Cleveland and his elevation to the presidency is due to the fact that the belief was and is general that under a democratic administration salutary changes would be made and that there would be a return to the honorable mode of conducting the government which prevailed in earlier days. In this belief the people will not be disappointed.—*Patriot.*

Mr. Blaine Gives It Up.

He Made a Good Fight and Bows to the Will of the People.

BOSTON, Nov. 15.

A special to the *Herald* from Augusta, says that Mr. Blaine regards the official count in New York as practically settling the Presidential question. Mr. Blaine, it is stated on the best authority, received this afternoon a telegram from New York announcing the completion of the official canvass in that city and informing him that the plurality for Cleveland in that State would be 1,137. The same authority states that Mr. Blaine accepts the result very cheerfully and has no regrets growing out of his connection with the campaign. He feels that he made a good fight and gracefully bows to the verdict of the American people. He believes the Republican party will prove true to its grand past and will increase in strength with the coming years. He expects that in 1888 it will again be called back into power. Mr. Blaine leaves for Washington the middle of next week, where he and family will spend the winter. He has leased the "Sargent house" in Farragut Square, and will shortly resume his work on the second volume of "Twenty Years in Congress." The volume will be ready by next June for publication.

How the President is Chosen.

Technically speaking, the president is not elected by the people, and the people do not vote directly for any presidential candidate. They cast their ballots for electors, and these electors choose a president and a vice president. In each state the number of electors is equal to the number of senators and representatives which the state has in congress. In New York there are thirty-six electors. Each party has an electoral ticket with the names of these thirty-six electors printed on it. The electoral ticket which receives the greatest number of popular ballots in the state will be chosen by the people, and the electors named on it will be entitled to give their votes for the candidate whom they represent.

The electors who are chosen will meet in each state on the first Wednesday in December and cast their votes for a president. As a matter of law they can then vote for whom they please. They are not legally bound to vote for Cleveland or Blaine, or any other person who was a candidate before the people. As a matter of usage and public trust they are expected to vote for the candidate whom they are pledged to support.

Certificates of the votes cast by the electors in each state are then made out and sent to Washington. These certificates will be opened in the presence of the Senate and House of Representatives and counted on the second Wednesday in February. The total number of electoral votes is 401—The candidate for president receiving the majority of these—that is, 201—will be declared president. If no person has such majority, then the election goes into the house of representatives, which is required to choose a president from the persons—not exceeding three—who have received the most electoral votes for president. In the House the vote is by states, each state having one vote.—*N. Y. Times.*

Turn the Jingo Rascals Out.

New York Dispatch to the Press.

To a host of Republicans here the results of the election are gilded by the approaching disappearance of 'Johnnie' O'Brien, 'Barney' Biglin, 'Steve' French, 'Clint' Wheeler and all the rest of the noisome gang. The new Mayor, Mr. W. R. Grace, will replace Mr. French by a Democrat on the Police Board, and this will wipe Mr. O'Brien out of political existence. It is a good riddance. The depths of corruption in which this gang has plunged Republican politics in this city are not to be easily gauged. They have had 'bargains' and 'deals' until the capacity to tell the truth or act squarely, even when it is the best thing, has gone clean out of them. Mr. Blaine was defeated on this island, and he owes his defeat to the rotton character of the Republican machine, which was not equal to making straightforward use of the great labor vote brought to the Republican party by Mr. Blaine.

William A. Duncan Dead.

The Member of Congress From the Nineteenth District Expires After a Long Illness.

Special dispatch to THE TIMES.

GETTYSBURG, November 14.

Congressman William A. Duncan, who was re-elected for another term on the 4th inst., died at his residence in this place this morning, in the forty-ninth year of his age. He died of consumption and had been ill for a year or more. Mr. Duncan was born in Franklin township, Adams county, February 2, 1836. He graduated from Franklin and Marshall College, at Lancaster, in 1857, after which he studied law and was admitted to the bar at Gettysburg in 1859, where he has ever since practiced. He was elected District Attorney in 1862 and again in 1868, and was elected to the Forty-eighth Congress as a Democrat in 1882, defeating William McSherry, Independent Democrat, by 3,177 votes in the Nineteenth district, which includes the counties of Adams, Cumberland and York. Mr. Duncan's funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

A Mint of Money.

The amount of gold bullion in the Philadelphia Mint is at present $25,000,000. It is composed of gold bars six inches long three inches wide and one and a half inches in thickness, worth $1,500 each. This bullion began to accumulate about five years ago when our foreign trade increased, and a large amount of English and French coin was melted down into bars at the New York Assay Office. The gold, which is 100 fine, was all sent here. The amount in the Mint fluctuates with the greater or less demand for gold.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

From our Regular Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 18, 1884.

God reigns, and the Government at Washington will pass out of the hands of the corrupt Republican thieves on the 4th of March next. I do not know whether President Cleveland's ideas of Civil Service Reform are extreme enough to retain any considerable number of the present Government employes in the departments, but I do know that a thoroughly clean sweep of the whole lot of them will not only be a blessing to the administration, but will be no less than the Democratic party and the Independent Republicans who aided so materially in the good work have a right to expect. The long lease of official life that the Republicans have enjoyed, has made them absolutely reckless in the dispensation of patronage, and you would be astounded did you know in detail the abominable system of despotism that has characterized the career of the party both here and through the country in the last ten years. And what is peculiarly mischievous about it is the palpable fact that the generality of these barnacles are utterly and outrageously incompetent to discharge the duties of the positions to which they have been assigned. Fred Douglass, now Register of Deeds, an office worth some $14,000 per annum, has no less than five of his Senegambian offspring quartered upon the Government in the different departments, to say nothing of an army of sisters and brothers and their children, who it is said are drawing not less than fifty thousand a year from the people's treasury. And there is French, the Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, whose family is so hungry that the Government is obliged to contribute something like $20,000 per year for their support. The Secretary of State, Mr. Frelinghuysen, a man of immense wealth, too, has a son, a nephew, and I don't know how many other relatives, drawing salaries from the Government, and even the President has been so indifferent to the possibilities of public scandal as to furnish his own brother with the position of paymaster with the pay of a major of cavalry! I do not believe that we shall have any of this disgraceful business under Cleveland. PHONO.

BOROUGHS and TOWNSHIPS.		Cleveland	Blaine	Hoy	Furst	Munson	Fisher	Davis	Osborne	Curtin	Patton	Mooney	Woodward	Love	Allison	Walker	Hoyer	Breit	Fidler	Smith	Hess	McClain	Foster	Bible	Chaney	Grest	Wolfe	Campbell	Henderson	Peck	Dinges	Taylor	Bennison
Bellefonte	North ward	115	120	157	207	115	210	135	120	215	80	90	90	90	90	90	90	90	90	90	90	90	90	90	90	90	90	90	90	90	90	90
	North ward	274	271	264	264	264	264	264	264	264	264	264	264	264	264	264	264	264	264	264	264	264	264	264	264	264	264	264	264	264	264	264
Milesburg borough		42	44	114	114	114	114	114	114	114	114	114	114	114	114	114	114	114	114	114	114	114	114	114	114	114	114	114	114	114	114	114
Millheim borough		165	165	165	165	165	165	165	165	165	165	165	165	165	165	165	165	165	165	165	165	165	165	165	165	165	165	165	165	165	165	165
Howard borough		141	141	141	141	141	141	141	141	141	141	141	141	141	141	141	141	141	141	141	141	141	141	141	141	141	141	141	141	141	141	141
Philipsburg borough	1st ward	117	117	117	117	117	117	117	117	117	117	117	117	117	117	117	117	117	117	117	117	117	117	117	117	117	117	117	117	117	117	117
	2d ward	238	238	238	238	238	238	238	238	238	238	238	238	238	238	238	238	238	238	238	238	238	238	238	238	238	238	238	238	238	238	238
Unionville borough		184	184	184	184	184	184	184	184	184	184	184	184	184	184	184	184	184	184	184	184	184	184	184	184	184	184	184	184	184	184	184
Benner township	South	167	167	167	167	167	167	167	167	167	167	167	167	167	167	167	167	167	167	167	167	167	167	167	167	167	167	167	167	167	167	167
Bogg township	North	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133
Burnside township		46	46	46	46	46	46	46	46	46	46	46	46	46	46	46	46	46	46	46	46	46	46	46	46	46	46	46	46	46	46	46
Curtin township		70	70	70	70	70	70	70	70	70	70	70	70	70	70	70	70	70	70	70	70	70	70	70	70	70	70	70	70	70	70	70
College township		173	173	173	173	173	173	173	173	173	173	173	173	173	173	173	173	173	173	173	173	173	173	173	173	173	173	173	173	173	173	173
Ferguson township		170	170	170	170	170	170	170	170	170	170	170	170	170	170	170	170	170	170	170	170	170	170	170	170	170	170	170	170	170	170	170
Gregg township	S	58	58	58	58	58	58	58	58	58	58	58	58	58	58	58	58	58	58	58	58	58	58	58	58	58	58	58	58	58	58	58
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Haines township	East precinct	95	95	95	95	95	95	95	95	95	95	95	95	95	95	95	95	95	95	95	95	95	95	95	95	95	95	95	95	95	95	95
	West precinct	102	102	102	102	102	102	102	102	102	102	102	102	102	102	102	102	102	102	102	102	102	102	102	102	102	102	102	102	102	102	102
Halfmoon township		36	36	36	36	36	36	36	36	36	36	36	36	36	36	36	36	36	36	36	36	36	36	36	36	36	36	36	36	36	36	36
Harris township		130	130	130	130	130	130	130	130	130	130	130	130	130	130	130	130	130	130	130	130	130	130	130	130	130	130	130	130	130	130	130
Howard township		77	77	77	77	77	77	77	77	77	77	77	77	77	77	77	77	77	77	77	77	77	77	77	77	77	77	77	77	77	77	77
Huston township		114	114	114	114	114	114	114	114	114	114	114	114	114	114	114	114	114	114	114	114	114	114	114	114	114	114	114	114	114	114	114
Liberty township		175	175	175	175	175	175	175	175	175	175	175	175	175	175	175	175	175	175	175	175	175	175	175	175	175	175	175	175	175	175	175
Marion township		296	296	296	296	296	296	296	296	296	296	296	296	296	296	296	296	296	296	296	296	296	296	296	296	296	296	296	296	296	296	296
Patton township		260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260
Penn township		171	171	171	171	171	171	171	171	171	171	171	171	171	171	171	171	171	171	171	171	171	171	171	171	171	171	171	171	171	171	171
Potter township	North	159	159	159	159	159	159	159	159	159	159	159	159	159	159	159	159	159	159	159	159	159	159	159	159	159	159	159	159	159	159	159
	South	72	72	72	72	72	72	72	72	72	72	72	72	72	72	72	72	72	72	72	72	72	72	72	72	72	72	72	72	72	72	72
Rush township	South	201	201	201	201	201	201	201	201	201	201	201	201	201	201	201	201	201	201	201	201	201	201	201	201	201	201	201	201	201	201	201
	North	88	88	88	88	88	88	88	88	88	88	88	88	88	88	88	88	88	88	88	88	88	88	88	88	88	88	88	88	88	88	88
Snow Shoe twp.	East precinct	177	181	181	181	181	181	181	181	181	181	181	181	181	181	181	181	181	181	181	181	181	181	181	181	181	181	181	181	181	181	181
	West precinct	198	198	198	198	198	198	198	198	198	198	198	198	198	198	198	198	198	198	198	198	198	198	198	198	198	198	198	198	198	198	198
Spring township		121	121	121	121	121	121	121	121	121	121	121	121	121	121	121	121	121	121	121	121	121	121	121	121	121	121	121	121	121	121	121
Spring township		274	274	274	274	274	274	274	274	274	274	274	274	274	274	274	274	274	274	274	274	274	274	274	274	274	274	274	274	274	274	274
Union township		96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96	96
Walker township		133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133	133
Worth township		160	160	160	160	160	160	160	160	160	160	160	160	160	160	160	160	160	160	160	160	160	160	160	160	160	160	160	160	160	160	160
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Total		4496	4637	4596	4139	4464	4296	4654	4002	5060	3294	4194	4324	4163	4157	4615	4695	4663	4695	4758	3927	4648	4602	4526	3979	4428	4435	3930	3740	4525	4514	3933	3963

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"He gradually grew worse, and in a few months the elbow and knee joints and both ankles became enormously enlarged. In March last the cheek bones began to enlarge, and upon his left side particularly, spreading his face out of all resemblance to his former self. The pain in all his joints became intense; fever, with its deteriorating effects, was now added, and he became rapidly reduced to the semblance of a skeleton, while vitality reached its lowest possible condition, and his sufferings were of such an indiscribable character that those who most loved him sometimes thought it would be better if he was called away. At this time physicians well known in Pittsburgh informed his parents that they could give no hopes of recovery.

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JACOB GOBBLE,
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United Brethren.

Rev. J. G. W. Herald, Preacher-in-charge.
See local.
Sunday school, 9 A.M.—J. G. W. Herald Supt

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—Heavy frosts with a little bit of snow in order.

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—Don't depend upon your neighbor for a local newspaper, but subscribe for one yourself.

—Dinges, Trumpfueller & Co. are about buying their second large stock. Go and see them.

—Mr. Aleck Weakley, who resides with H. H. Weiser's on Main street, is very ill with dropsy.

—There is a rumor afloat that Penns Creek Cave, in this valley, is to have a summer resort hotel.

—The Pennsylvania Railroad has declared a semi-annual dividend of 3 per cent., payable Nov, 29th.

—A number of our Democrats attened the parade and jubilee at Spring Mills last Monday evening.

—This office turns out job work at short notice, in the best style and at low prices. Bring your orders.

—Mr. Gardner and Mr. Meek and ladies from Potter township were visitors at H. H. Weiser's last week.

—Mr. James Cantner, of Millmont, was the guest of his sister, Mrs. S. D. Musser, for several days last week.

—Mr. Wm. Pealer of Spring Mills expects to re-enter the mercantile business at that place in the near future.

—Rev. F. Aurand of Rebersburg will preach in the Lutheran church of this place on Sunday evening Nov 23.

—Some errors having occurred last week in the table of Centre county's vote, we re-publish the same corrected.

—FOR SALE.—Seven grey-hound pups for sale at reasonable prices. Apply to J. W. MUSSER.
tf Woodward, Pa.

—Do not forget the supper to be given by the ladies of the Lutheran church of this place on Thanksgiving eve.

—Headquarters for school books, Slates, Slate and Lead Pencils, Paper and Envelopes, etc. at the JOURNAL STORE.

—Now is the time to buy your winter supplies and Dinges, Trumpfheller & Co's store at Coburn is the place to get them.

—The annual sales of sawed lumber in the United States are said to aggregate two hundred and twenty three million dollars.

—November term of Centre county court will commence next Monday. Our townsman D. L. Zerby, is one of the grand jurors.

—Many of our town folks feel happy and proud over their fine porkers. Everybody is getting ready for the slaughtering campaign.

—An infant child, about two months old, of James Immel, Penn township, died on Tuesday night of last week. It was buried on Thursday.

—Since the election of Grover Cleveland has been established beyond a doubt, the democrats in this neighborhood truly enjoy their jubilees.

—The best place for Ladies' Coats and Jackets, Men's Overcoats and Suits, Boots and Blankets is at Dinges, Trumpfheller & Co's, Coburn Pa.

—The Harrisburg *Patriot* says that a number of the members-elect to the legislature of 1885, are already securing boarding houses for next winter.

—Mr Wm. Rearick, father of Peter Rearick of this place, is lying in a critical condition at the residence of his son.

—Thick and fast—the new goods coming in at D. S. Kauff man & Co's, store on Main street. Call on them and get bargains.

—A small lot of those Dress Goods at 6½ cents are still on our counters. They go fast.
DINGES, TRUMPFHELLER & CO.,
Coburn, Pa.

—The Vanderbilt Hotel at Shamokin, the finest hotel in the to wn, was recently closed by the sheriff and the furniture sold by him.—*Lewisbury Journal.*

—Mrs. D. Ruhl and daughter, accompanied by Mrs. A. J. Harter, whose guests they had been, all left for Union county last Friday, to visit relations there.

—Our readers will find the administrators' notice of Jacob Gobble and B. F. Frankenbarger in this week's issue of the JOURNAL, under the head of legal advertisements.

—COLD feet—two feet of snow. Bad cold—one settled on the lungs. Good cure—Dr. Kessler's Celebrated English. Cough Medicine.
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PURE ITALIAN BEES FOR SALE.—The undersigned wishes to sell about 30 colonies of bees at reasonable prices. Call on D. K. MUSSER.
Aaronsburg, Pa.

—A number of our citizens were to Bellefonte last Friday evening and witnessed the democratic jollification. They say it was the finest demonstration ever held in our county seat.

—The Bellefonte *Republican* seems to die hard. Brother Tuten still tells his readers that Blaine will be the President. It's a fairy tale, and it takes great imaginary powers to believe it.

—We are requested to announce that Rev. Zimmerman, former Lutheran pastor of the Rebersburg charge, will preach in the U. B. church of this place next Sunday forenoon at 10 o'clock.

– On Saturday, Nov. 29th, 1884, Mr. Joseph Bierly, attorney for the heirs o of Michael Bierly, late of Miles township, deceased, will sell at public sale, the real estate of decedents, situate in Madisonburg. See Bills.

—At this writing—Wednesday morning—the ground is covered with about two inches of snow with indications for more. The country is changed into a winter scene and the boys are hunting up his sled for a frolic.

—How swiftly the time goes! After next Thursday, (Thanksgiving Day) the blessed season of Christmas will only be a little over three weeks off, and already the little folks look forward with expectant eyes to the hallowed holiday.

FOUND. —$3.50 a dozen Cabinets! Now is the time to have your pictur es taken at Buck Bros. gallery on North street, Millheim, Pa. From November 13th to Jan 1. 1885 they will put out Cabinet size photographs at $3.50 a dozen. Don't forget it and go there.

—Mr. John Kerstetter, Jr., still makes a business of doing special jobs at carpentry. John is really an expert at the business and has large experince, both in making out plans, specifications and drawings, as well as a practical workman. People who entrust their work into his hands can safely rely on having it done in best style at the low est prices. tf

—Another barber shop in Millheim. Mr. Geo. Springer, who formerly worked at the trade with W. J. Springer has opened shop on the second floor of Snook's corner building on Main street. If George continues to improve as he has done in the past he will make his mark as a tonsorial artist. He enjoys a fair custom.

—On Friday morning about 2 o'clock a large fire destroyed several million feet of lumber belonging to Kreamer, Mann & Co., at Flemington, south of Lock Haven, also the bridge across Bald Eagle Creek and several stables and outbuildings in the near vicinity. The flames were busy in their destructive work for about four hours.

LOOK HERE.—This is the third time since June that D. S. Kauffman & Co., have been to the city to buy goods and every time they bring home an immense stock of general merchandise. More than that, they have been and are ordering goods daily by mail and through salesmen. These facts prove that at their place you are sure to get "bargains."

—A SIGN in Cleveland reads "Ice Kream Salune," which is probably the worst cold spell of the season; but for the worst spell of cold Dr. Kessler's Celebrated English Cough Medicine is the best cure you will be able to find.
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—On Tuesday forenoon, while Ex-Sheriff Shaffer was on his way from Nittany to Brush valley, an accident befell him, which might have caused his death. By some means which we were unable to ascertain, the buggy was upset and along with its occupants and the horse thrown down an embankment of about 20 feet, near the old toll gate in the mountains between said valleys. Mr. Shaffer almost miraculously escaped with a few severe bruises. The buggy was completely wrecked.

Thanksgiving Supper.

The Ladies' Mite Society of the Lutheran Church of Millheim will give a Thanksgiving Supper in the Town Hall on Thursday evening, Nov. 27th. The bill of fare will be TURKEYS, CHICKENS, OYSTERS, stewed and fried TEA and COFFE, ICE CREAM and CAKES.

Meals—20 cents. Oyster Stews—20 cents. Children half price. Supper will commence at 6 o'clock, p. m.

A table filled with FANCY ARTICLES, to be offered for sale, will be one of the attractive features of the evening.

The proceeds will be used for the purchase of Matting for the Sunday School.

A cordial invitation is extended to to a generous public.

—The ENTERPRISE MEAT CHOPPER has been tested and endorsed by over one hundred Agricultural Journals. The Farm & Fireside says: "After testing, each Editor immediately ordered an Enterprise Meat Chopper for his family use." The American Agriculturist says: These Choppers excel anything of the kind made in either Hemisphere. See large advertisement in another column.

JUBILEE.—On Monday evening the Gregg township Democracy had a splendid ratification of Cleveland and Hendrick's election, at Spring Mills. About six o'clock a glaring bonfire on the hill west of the town lit up the surrounding country and the large and spacious business houses in the new part of Spring Mills were grandly illuminated. Grenoble's store house, Bibby's hotel and McCool's residence presented a fine sight with its hundreds of burning candles and lamps and truly looked like a golden crown, setting off the rest of town to great advantage. About seven o'clock a procession, equipped with torches and japanese lanterns and headed by the Farmers' Mills band and a drum corps started from Bibby's hotel to have a walk around, after which the large crowd of people who had gathered in from all parts of the valley assembled in front of Bartholomew's store to listen to appropriate addresses by Wm. Heinle and J. L. Spangler, of Bellefonte and G. W. Koch of Potter township. A fine display of fire works fittingly closed the demonstration and greatly entertained the enthusiastic and lively crowd.

Spring Mills can justly be proud of her Jubilee. It was a well-arranged and liberally supported affair. The citizens of the place seemed to be fully awake to the great victory and all strove to do their share in making the jubilee a success, in which they did not fail. It was a credit to Spring Mills.

ANOTHER JUBILEE.—Perhaps in all the history of this growing little borough, there never was such a harmonious and social time of enjoyment spent by our democrats as was last Tuesday evening, when they celebrated their great victory in the late election. Early in the morning, the citizens went to work in good earnest with the view of painting the town as red as possible. Flags were swung to the breeze and nearly all the business places and many private residences were dressed in the festive garb of America's colors. Extensive preparations were made to brilliantly illuminate, as soon as darkness set in and several men were hard at work building a tremendous stack of pitch wood for the bonfire. When evening had come Main street and part of North street were shinning forth in splendor and soon Penn street followed suit. Our two hotels presented the richest appearance and everybody admired the good taste which the landlords displayed in the arrangement of their candles, lamps and chinese lanterns, and they certainly deserve great credit, for their efforts. From the hill down to the bridge it was a continuous chain of flaming jets and the streets were full of people in spite of the falling snow. At about 7 o'clock the band struck up a national air, giving the signal for a walk around. Marshall Frain then took charge of the parade of about 200 men and boys, who marched through Main and Penn streets to the lively music of the drum corps and the band. When they came back to the First National Hotel they were shortly but ably addressed by D. W. Cox, Esq., of Lewisburg. The jollification was wound up with the grandest bonfire ever witnessed in this neighborhood.

When the high stack of pitch wood, saturated with coal oil, was set on fire, the column of flames about thirty feet high, on an elevated point west of town shed a bright and dazing light over the whole town. Three tremendous cheers for Cleveland and for Curtin went up and the stirring band and marshal music helped to make things very lively.

The most pleasant feature of the occasion was the decorum and good-feeling which prevailed throughout the evening. Not an intoxicated person could be seen, nor was any improper language heard. Everybody seemed to be filled with a quiet but earnest enthusiasm over our great victory and the many illummated houses seemed to stand out like proud and telling monuments of the deep joy which our good and faithful Democrats feel over their first victory in twenty-four years.

Coburn Briefs.

No less than eight trains passed through here on Monday.

The contemplated excursion to the Spring Mills ratification was a fizzle.

Hurrah for the Coburn hunters—six deer and a large black bear is the result of their last trip. Daniel Eisenhuth, Amon Greaninger, Samuel Evart, Jacob Moyer and Thos. Eisenhuth were among the party. They deserve the medal.

Some of our neighbors are thinking *loud* about a proposed wedding. Guess it's correct.

Important business must require Cleve Dinges' attention at Centre Hall, as we notice him travel in that direction very often.

We were very much pleased with the sermon delivered by the Rev. B. Hengst on Sunday evening and think our Evangelical friends have reason to be proud of their talented minister.

No dull times here since Cleveland's election. Each one offers to try to do the best in making money plenty and that is why our business men are so busy. Z.

Madisonburg News.

Simon Hazel is dangerously ill with typhoid fever.

Mrs. Daniel Roush of this place beats anything in the line of beets yet heard from as far as weight is concerned. She boasts of a beet weighing 9¾ pounds.

Mr. Fisher and lady of Tusseyville were the guests of Dr. Lee over Sunday.

Mrs. Sarah Metzenstein of Nebraska is paying her father, Mr. Jeremiah Hoy, near town, a visit. She expects to stay here about five weeks.

We are pleased to see our good friend A. Ocker on the streets again. Mr. Ocker was confined to the house for about four weeks.

Mr. John Hazel, of Altoona, spent Saturday and Sunday with his sick father.

John Brown, of Bellefonte, came to town to see wife and baby.

Eddie Shafer, of Lock Haven came home to see father and mother. The fatted calf was not killed, but instead two young Cleveland roosters. While partaking of one of them at noon Eddie remarked "*Mam si sin awer gut.*"

Mrs. Halderman, of State College, spent Saturday and Sunday with her son Daniel at this place.

Mr. Newton Fiedler called on J. J. Ocker on Saturday evening. STILL.

Woodward Items.

James Ettlinger is sojourning in Philadelphia for the present.

The protracted meeting at this place has not met with very good success up to this writing.

J. C. Motz's saw mill will soon be in running order.

Sam don't care to have any more weddings at his place.

Noah still sticks to Benny Butler.

The butchering season has commenced.

Glyer and Muckle are on the war path just now.

Warren Ettlinger is nursing his big toe, which got sore by a cut. Warren, why not cut the wood, in place of the toe?

Spotty has changed boarding places.

Chestnuts were scarce and the season is over.

Wedding-Bells—This time the parties were Wm. Hinkson and Sarah Hosterman. But alas, William had entirely forgotton the date of the happy event and came to town unprepared. He was compelled to call on some of the neighbors for help out of the difficulty, and brother Rob accomodated him. The calathumpians were duly on hand. PEDRO.

—PETERSON'S MAGAZINE for December comes to us ahead of all others, a perfect marvel of beauty. There are more than a hundred pages of reading-matter; two superb steel-plates; a colored pattern, costler even than a chromo; a colored fashion-plate, double size, printed from steel; and more than half a hundred wood-cuts of fashions, work-table patterns, etc., etc. The stories are exceptionally good; though "Peterson" always has the very best. It is a standing wonder to us how this magazine can be furnished at its low price; it can only be explained by the enormous circulation which "Peterson" has now for more than thirty years. We really suppose there are few families, at all pretending to refinement, in which this magazine is not to be found. It claims, and not undeservedly, to give more for the money—and of better quality—than any other. The December number ends the year. Now, therefore, is the time to subscribe for 1885, or to get up clubs. We advise our fair readers to subscribe for no magazine till they have seen a copy of this. Specimens are sent gratis, if written for in good faith. The price is but Two DOLLARS a year to single subscribers. To clubs, it is cheaper still, viz: Four copies for six dollars and a half, with an extra copy of the magazine as a premium to the person getting up the club. Or five copies for eight dollars, with both an extra copy of the magazine for getting up the club, and also a superb illustrated book of American poets, called "The Pearl of Price," or a large-size steel-engraving, for framing, "The Lion in Love." *No other magazine gives such costly premiums.* For larger clubs, the price is still lower, while even more premiums are given. Address CHARLES J. PETERSON, 306 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

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Veal	
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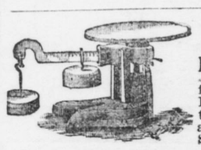
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General News.

A Ghost in a Jail.

Chip Smith, Who was Hanged, Returns With a Hangman's Noose.

NEW HAVEN, Nov. 11.

A ghost has appeared in the County Jail in this city. Two years ago 'Chip' Smith was hanged in the jail. Last week moans and sepulchral sounds were claimed to have been heard by some of the prisoners, but nothing was thought about it by the authorities. Last night one of the gentlemen who saves lodging by staying in one of the cells was startled from his sleep by hearing a series of moans. He got off his cot, and looked out the window, thought the noise was caused by the tree boughs rubbing together and went to bed again. Again the noise began and a something oozed in between the bars and stood by his cot.

The ghost held a long hangman's rope in one hand and waved the other. After it had come in it stood on the window sill and made a speech to the terrified prisoner :

'I am chip Smith,' it said. 'I have come back to my old cell first of all. I am returned to take vengeance on those who were my friends but deserted me.'

According to the prisoner the ghost made quite a speech. The prisoner fainted and told his story in the morning. Other prisoners claim to have had similar experience. There is a panicky feeling in the jail, even among the employes, and the prisoners are greatly wrought up over their spook.

Diphtheria in Chicago Schools.

CHICAGO, November, 11.—Diphtheria has broken out among the scholars of one of the public schools of this city and several fatal cases are already reported. The Health Department officials are considering the advisability of closing the school. The Health Commissioner declares that diphtheria is of a certainty epidemic in the city. One family is reported as having lost six children out of seven in the past two weeks through the disease.

The Coachman's Wife Going on the Stage.

NEW YORK, November, 11.—Manager Amberg, of the Thalia Theatre, today concluded an engagement with Mrs. Victoria Schilling-Huelskamp [Miss Morosini] for six months for concerts and after that for opera bouffe. She appears next Sunday at the Thalia Theatre in sacred concert, and goes from here to Boston, thence all over the West. Mr. Amberg says she has a good voice and is a real artist.

Overjoyed with Cleveland's Election.

WASHINGTON, November 11.—W. W. Corcoran, who is overjoyed with Cleveland's election, yesterday gave the local democratic committee his check for $7,200 to pay up the arrears of its campaign expenses.

The Washington Monument Nearly Completed.

WASHINGTON, November 12.—The Washington Monument to-day reached a greater height than that of any other structure in the world, being five hundred and twenty feet ten inches above the floor of the monument. The next highest structure is the spire of the Cologne Cathedral, which towers five hundred and fifteen feet above the floor of the building. It has been estimated that it will take but twenty-five working days to complete the monument, so that there is no doubt of its being finished in time for its dedication on the 22d of next February.

A Story of Landlord and Tenants.

George Worley tells some extravagant gopher tales about Florida. He says on one occasion a certain gentleman went to Florida with the idea of getting rich from an orange grove and was exceedingly anxious to buy land. A tract was offered him at a price that he thought would be very cheap for any kind of land in any country, and he bought it and paid for it before he ever saw it. After getting his deed he concluded he would ride out and look at it. He found it so full of gopher holes that it was impossible for him to ride over it, and he hitched his horse and undertook to walk over it. He did not go far, however, until he became so disgusted that he pulled out his deed and, sticking it in a gopher's hole, said: "Here, d—m you, you have got possession and I will give you the title also." He then quit Florida in disgust.

The Cholera in Paris.

No Abatement of the Epidemic—The Daily Record of Mortality.

PARIS, November 12.

It is not clearly known how the cholera originated in the Breteuil Asylum for Old People. It is supposed, however, that it was brought in by some inmate returning from a holiday. So far 44 deaths have occurred in the asylum. The mortality is the greater among the men than the women. There are altogether 250 inmates in the asylum. The district round about is healthy. The nuns fearlessly attend the patients in the asylum, where the chapel has been converted into a cholera ward. Steps are being taken to remove the troops of the garrison to barracks outside the city. M. Jules Valles has an article in the *Crida Peuple* which urges the people who dwell in the slums of Paris to migrate to the wealthier parts of the city. He tells them to occupy the fashionable houses that are deserted and to help themselves to wholesome food.

MIDNIGHT.—During the past twenty-four hours there have been 47 deaths in this city by cholera, including the fatal cases in hospitals. At Melun in the last forty-eight hours there have been 7 cases and 2 deaths. Two deaths from cholera occurred in Toulon to-day. Several fresh cases have been reported. An actor was seized with vomiting last night as he went upon the stage and died shortly afterward of apoplexy. The city is dirtier than ever.

HUMOROUS PICKINGS.

"Do cats think?" queries a writer. Yes, they sometimes think that the man up in the window with the night cap on is a mighty poor shot with a boot-jack.

"The half dollar of 1825 is not rare," says a Philadelphia authority. Indeed, no. It is the half dollar of 1884 that is rare.—*Louisville Courier-Journal.*

When Clara was asked what she would do if a nice young gentleman would ask her hand in marriage, she naively said: "I don't think I'd no."—*Yonkers Statesman.*

An absent-minded teacher amused her class at the re-opening of a school the other day. Having carefully received the names in the class from each member, she said: "I shall now call the roll, to see if you are all present."

Mother: "Do hurry up, Robbie; unless you hurry more you'll never be anything of a business man when you grow up." Robbie: "O, yes, I will, ma. When I grow up and go into business, I'll have a lot of clerks to do my hurrying for me."—*Philadelphia Call.*

It is claimed that a new species of hippopotamus has been discovered on a remote part of the River Nile. This intelligence will be received with a degree of great satisfaction. Next to another professional base-ball club there was nothing this country yearned for with a more yearning yearnfulness than a new species of hippopotamus.—*Norristown Herald.*

"What's the matter with your eye, old man; somebody hit you?" "Yes. I told Smith last night he was no gentleman and he pasted me one." "Did you wipe out the insult?" "I didn't, but I went right home and my wife wiped it out as well as she could. I may have to outgrow some of it. Good day; there comes Smith now."—*Burlington Hawk-eye.*

The other evening quite a chill was in the air, and George ventured out on Sixth Avenue with his girl. 'The night air is chilly,' he said, with a little shiver. 'If you were more warmly clad I would ask you to have some ice cream; but that thin muslin dress, and—' 'I am not at all cold!' the girl interrupted. 'To be sure I might have thrown something over my shoulders; but, George, dear, think how warmly I am wrapped up in you.' At this George's fears gave way, and a few moments later a smartly-dressed waiter was deferentially inclining his ear.—*N. Y. Independent.*

A Prudent Father.

'Why don't you take the daily papers at the house?' was asked of a miss of sixteen, who was looking up and down Howard street for a news boy yesterday afternoon.

'Oh, yes; but about every other morning father suppresses them and we must go without the news.'

'Why should he do that?'

'There's probably another elopement with a coachman, and he dosen't want me to see the particulars.'

'And so you buy the papers?'

'Just so—all the morning and evening issues, and I read 'em to the last line. Pa is a dear, good old fellow, but if he gets ahead of me he's got to stop the printing presses instead of the papers.'—*Detroit Free Press.*

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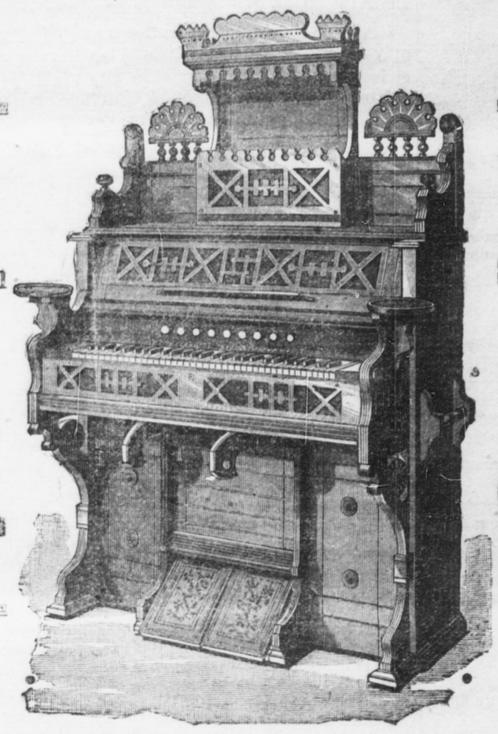

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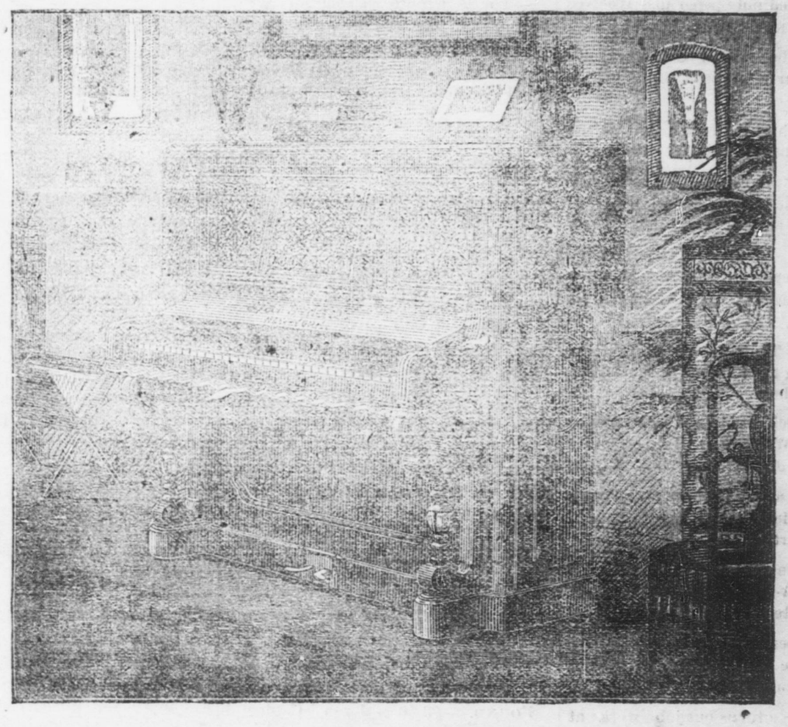

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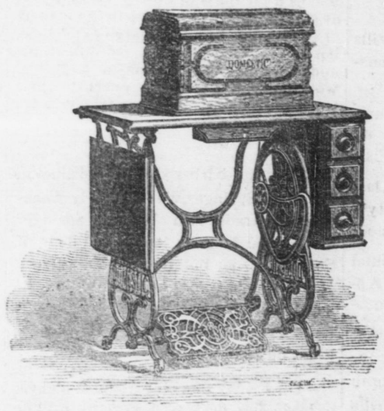

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